

# HUGE CROWD EXPECTED AT FAIR THIS AFTERNOON

## BULGAR BASE IS EVACUATED SAYS REPORT

Serbian Army Inflicts Another  
Defeat on Retreating Enemy  
and Are Approaching  
Florina.

## FRENCH HOLD GROUND TAKEN FROM ENEMY

British Take 2,500 Prisoners  
in Drive—Berlin Hears  
of Big Victory in  
the East.

International News Service:  
ROME, Sept. 16.—Monastir, the  
base of the Bulgarian army in western  
Macedonia, is reported to have  
been evacuated by the Bulgarians.

International News Service:  
SALONIKI, Sept. 16.—Pressing  
forward in their pursuit of the Bulgarians  
on the western end of the  
Macedonian front, the Serbian army  
has inflicted another defeat on the  
retreating enemy and are approaching  
Florina.

The following official report on the  
Serbian operations was issued here today:  
"The Bulgarians have been defeated  
in the region of Florina. They suffered  
enormous losses."

Owing to the heavy blows suffered  
by the Bulgarians it is expected that  
they will be unable to defend  
Florina long and the capture of that  
town is regarded as imminent by the  
allied leaders in Saloniki.

From Florina the way will be  
open for a campaign against Monastir,  
which has been held by the Bulgarians  
for many months.

ENTER FLORINA.  
International News Service:  
LONDON, Sept. 16.—A Saloniki  
dispatch to the Central News states  
that French and Russian troops entered  
Florina last night.

FRENCH HOLD GAINS.  
International News Service:  
PARIS, Sept. 16.—Fresh counter-  
attacks launched by the Germans  
in efforts to regain ground captured  
by the French on the Somme front  
have been repulsed, the war office  
announced today.

The unsuccessful German assaults  
were made to the west of  
Clery and at Berry.

The official communique states  
that the French are consolidating  
their captured positions.

Enthusiasm prevails here over the  
success won by the British in their  
drive against the German front in  
the region of Bapaume. According  
to reports reaching here the British  
have taken 3,500 prisoners. The  
Germans captured by the French on  
the Somme front yesterday numbered  
400.

TELLS OF VICTORY.  
BERLIN, Sept. 16.—Emperor  
William, it is officially announced  
today, has sent the following dispatch  
to the press:  
"Field Marshal von Mackensen  
has just sent me a communication  
that the Bulgarian, Turkish and  
German troops have obtained a decisive  
victory over the Roumanian and  
Russian troops."

MINOR GAINS.  
International News Service:  
LONDON, Sept. 16.—Following  
their successful drive against the  
Germans' Somme front yesterday,  
British troops continued to "nibble"  
at the Teuton lines during the night.  
These minor operations were also  
successful, the war office announced  
today.

The official statement announced  
the repulse of the two German  
counter-attacks and says that the  
British line now runs 500 yards to  
the north of Highwood, between  
Fiers and Comblès and that the villages  
of Courcellette, Martinpuich  
and Fiers are entirely in the possession  
of the British troops.

KID HAS A CLOSE CALL  
Loadman Carries Battle to the Ban-  
tam Champ.

International News Service:  
BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 16.—Kid  
Williams, the bantamweight champion,  
struck a young tornado in Dick  
Loadman of Lockport, here last  
night and almost lost his title. Load-  
man forced the fighting all in several  
rounds. The battle was a 10-  
round affair and full of go all the  
way.

## Ship Sunk by Mine Reports Consul Frost

International News Service:  
WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—The  
first official report to the state de-  
partment concerning the sinking of  
the British freighter, *Counsellor*,  
which had an American on board,  
caused the belief here that the ves-  
sel was sunk by a mine and not tor-  
pedoed by a German submarine as  
had been reported from London.

Consul Frost at Queenstown to-  
day cabled the department as fol-  
lows:  
"British freighter *Counsellor*, Har-  
rison line, San Francisco to Liver-  
pool, with cargo of barley and lum-  
ber, sunk at noon 14th, five miles  
southwest of Galleyhead by explo-  
sion. Admiralty believes by mine.  
No casualties. Frank Catington,  
sole American on board. Wife at  
Atlantic City."

## LATEST EMBARGO LIST IS RECEIVED

Drastic Plan is Being Pre-  
pared by the State  
Department.

International News Service:  
WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—Follow-  
ing receipt of the first complete list of  
exports England's new embargo pro-  
hibits from the United States to  
Norway, Sweden, Denmark and Hol-  
land, Sec'y of State Lansing today  
began assembling data for a drastic  
step on the part of this government.

Two other reports on the embargo  
situation were received from Consul  
Gen. Skinner at London.  
Consul Gen. Skinner's statement  
that "no further export licenses or  
other facilities will be given until  
Oct. 1 or until further notice by the  
British government" causes a belief  
in official circles that Great Britain  
definitely unless the orders in  
definitely unless the United States  
takes a stand that would make the  
extension "undesirable."

Consul Gen. Skinner's dispatches  
have been called to the attention of  
the British embassy with informal  
inquiries concerning the new em-  
bargo. It was said a similar in-  
vestigation would be ordered made im-  
mediately by the American embassy  
in London.

With Sec'y Lansing already study-  
ing the new retaliatory powers put  
in the hands of the administration,  
it is believed here that retaliation  
will be resorted to very soon.

The official reports from Skinner  
show that the new embargo is of  
broad scope. It prohibits shipment  
of 21 articles to Denmark, including  
oil and fats, meat, starches, sul-  
phur, vegetable fibres and vegetable  
oils.

For Norway 11 articles are pro-  
hibited, including beef casings,  
coconut, coffee, nickel, pitch, tar and  
oil.

For Sweden 29 articles are pro-  
hibited, including cocoa, coffee, dried  
fruits, gums, leather, margarine,  
meat, rice, sisal, steel, tea and tur-  
pentine.

For the Netherlands 26 articles  
are prohibited, including oils, fruits,  
pitch, preserved and canned goods,  
sulphur, syrups, spirits, spices,  
starch, rubber, tar, vegetable fibres  
and yeast.

## SPAIN FILES A PROTEST

Demand That Germany Modify Her  
Sub Campaign.

International News Service:  
MADRID, Sept. 16.—Spain has  
made a sharp protest to Germany  
against its practice of sinking peace-  
ful Spanish ships, it was announced  
today, and has demanded that there  
be a modification of the submarine  
campaign.

The government took this action  
after three Spanish steamers, in-  
cluding the *Olazari*, 2,557 tons, had  
been torpedoed in two days.

## British Gain on Saloniki Front

International News Service:  
LONDON, Sept. 16.—British troops  
are continuing their activities on the  
Saloniki front, according to a war  
office report issued today. It fol-  
lows:  
"On the Struma our raiders crossed  
the river and attacked Ouzma  
Komaja, capturing prisoners. Our  
mounted troops raided villages on  
the upper and lower Godeli.

"In the Doiran region our artill-  
ery is maintaining a steady bom-  
bardment of enemy positions."

## TRACTION CO. TO PROSECUTE STRIKE HEADS

Charge of Criminal Conspiracy  
to be Made Against Lead-  
ers Who Encourage  
Sympathetic Strikes.

## 80,000 WORKERS TO JOIN STRIKERS' RANKS

Threat is Made to Call Out  
800,000 if Companies  
Do Not Meet Men's  
Demands.

International News Service:  
NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—Officials  
of the Interborough Rapid Transit  
Co. announced today that prepara-  
tions have been completed for the  
prosecution, on the charge of crim-  
inal conspiracy, of labor leaders  
who, without legitimate cause, en-  
courage sympathetic strikes. This  
announcement followed the Central  
Federated Union's recommendation  
for a strike of 80,000 workers in  
sympathy with the carmen who are  
seeking to force union recognition  
from the traction companies.

In addition, a general boycott of  
the transportation lines affected by  
the strike on the part of 800,000  
union workers in the city has been  
decreed. If this, together with the  
immediate strike of the 80,000 men  
in sympathy with the carmen, does  
not bring victory to the unions, re-  
solutions passed by the Central  
Federated Union threaten to call  
out all of the 800,000 organized  
workers in this area.

Watched Developments.  
Traction officials who have been  
closely watching the developments in  
the widespread labor agitation and  
have had lawyers at work collecting  
evidence, asserted today that they  
were ready to invoke the full ma-  
chinery of the law against those  
who, without justification, might  
seek to throw the city into a state  
of industrial chaos in order to win  
the strike.

It became known that transit of-  
ficials have been keeping close  
watch on the labor leaders and have  
collected a mass of evidence that  
they are prepared to lay before the  
district attorney whenever it appears  
that the proper time has arrived for  
such action.

Committee May Act.  
Reports came from another source  
that the committee of five, which  
called upon the mayor and Chair-  
man Straus, of the public service  
commission, last Thursday, as rep-  
resentatives of the Merchants' as-  
sociation and other bodies, also was  
watching conditions with a view to  
appealing to Dist. Atty. Swann.

Ernest Bohm, secretary of the  
Central Federated union, declared  
today that 80,000 men whose work  
was enabling the transit companies  
to continue to operate, would go  
out immediately.

Members of the Tidewater Boat-  
men's union and the longshoremen  
declared that 21,000 machinists  
would also go out today.

A committee of five has been  
named to handle the local strike.  
Early today those men were busily  
engaged in organizing pickets and  
sending notifications to all members  
that the strike had been declared.  
Beginning tonight mass meetings  
will be held in Union square.

Bohm said today that the unions  
responding to the strike call would  
be supported financially.

Notwithstanding the calling of the  
sympathetic strike, Pres't Shonts of  
the Interborough ordered that 900  
strike-breakers be paid off and dis-  
charged today.

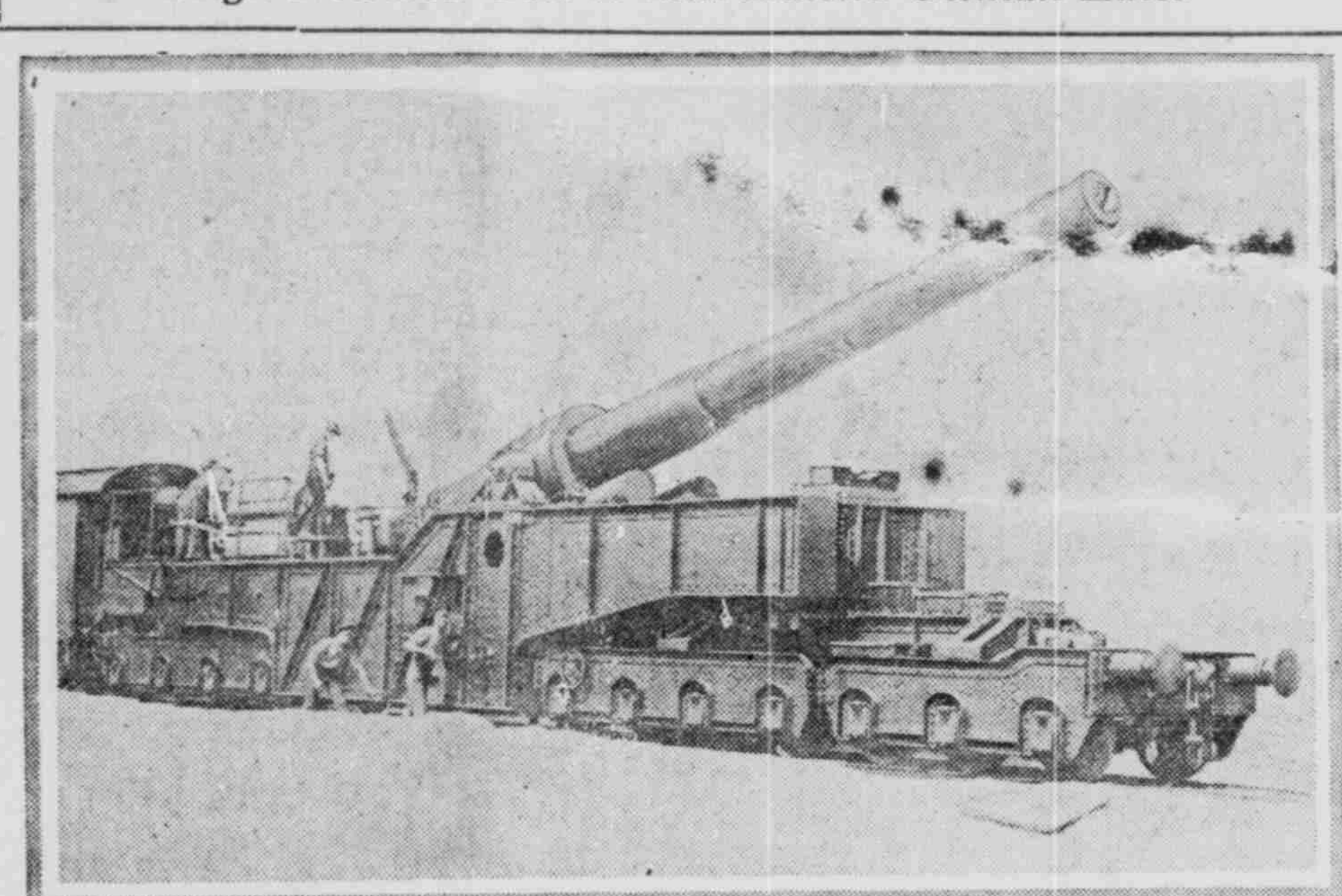
## CARRIED BODY HOME; SAID MAN WAS DRUNK

Physician Called Discovers That  
Man's Neck Was  
Broken.

International News Service:  
GAINESVILLE, Ga., Sept. 16.—After  
having been killed in a drunken  
brawl, the body of Cicero Culppepper  
was carried to his home by his com-  
panions and turned over to his wife,  
who was told that he was merely  
unconscious from drink, and would  
soon be all right again, according to  
evidence brought out at the coroner's  
inquest.

A physician called to attend him  
found that Culppepper's neck was  
broken. I. B. Hawkins, Ernest Haw-  
kins and Hubert Buffington, Cul-  
pepper's companions, were held on  
the charge of murder.

## High Powered Gun Which Batters German Lines



MONSTER BRITISH GUN.  
This picture, taken on the western battle front, shows one of the British monster guns now being used. The gun is mounted on a specially built truck which runs over tracks laid for the purpose.

## BRUNDAGE WINS ILL. NOMINATION

Returns From Down State De-  
cides State's Spectac-  
ular Race.

International News Service:  
CHICAGO, Sept. 16.—Edward J.  
Brundage of Chicago, has been nomi-  
nated for the republican attorney  
generalship over Richard J. Barr of  
Joliet, after one of the most spec-  
tacular races ever staged in Illinois  
primaries.

Brundage's nomination was as-  
sured today when with only 22 pre-  
cincts missing, he had a lead of  
4,655 votes.  
Barr's downstate plurality was not  
large enough to overcome the huge  
majority rolled up by Brundage in  
Cook county.

The democratic lieutenant-gov-  
ernorship appeared today to have  
gone to Henry W. Huttman. Hutt-  
man came out of Cook county with  
a lead of 6,000 over Lieut. Gov. Bar-  
rett O'Hara, and more than half of  
the downstate returns have shown  
him to be leading slightly there.

## SCHOOL SET ON FIRE

Industrial Workers Blamed For  
Damage at Scranton.

International News Service:  
SCRANTON, Pa., Sept. 16.—Indus-  
trial Workers of the World, who  
have been on strike in towns in the  
lower valley for two weeks, causing  
considerable trouble, are blamed by  
authorities for a fire early today  
that destroyed the new Duryea high  
school, and for dynamiting the  
home of Frank Loughney of Pitts-  
ton. Mr. and Mrs. Loughney were  
seriously hurt.

## WILL COME BACK HOME

Company Composed of Students  
Will be Discharged.

International News Service:  
INDIANAPOLIS, Sept. 16.—Gen.  
Lewis, in charge of the Indiana  
regiment, composed of Indiana uni-  
versity students, and the Indiana  
university band of the second reg-  
iment. Dispatches received here  
stated the students greeted the an-  
nouncement with cheers.

## JACK FROST RETURNS

Middle West is Greeted by the  
Chilly Visitor.

International News Service:  
CHICAGO, Sept. 16.—J. Frost  
paid his first visit to the middle west  
early today. Reports to the weather  
bureau indicate the frost was quite  
heavy, but did little material dam-  
age to vegetation.  
The temperature touched 35 be-  
tween 6 and 7 a. m. in Chicago. The  
weather bureau issued a warning  
that no more warm weather is in  
sight.

## GENERAL WOUNDED.

International News Service:  
LONDON, Sept. 16.—Brig. Gen.  
Lord Brooke of the Canadian forces,  
eldest son of the Earl of Warwick,  
has been wounded in France, ac-  
cording to reports received by his  
friends.

## Private Bank is Greatest Craft of All Says Hoyne

International News Service:  
CHICAGO, Sept. 16.—A warning  
to depositors in private banks was  
sounded today by State's Atty. Hoyne  
following an extensive examination  
into many of these private institu-  
tions. Aroused by the record of 43  
private bank failures in Chicago  
since 1911 Hoyne probed into the  
affairs of many still doing business.  
"I know several that are so ro-  
tten they can't stand," he declared.  
"Some of them will fail in the next  
few days. This private bank graft  
has the old clairvoyant trust beaten  
to death."

Michael Michulak, owner of the  
bank which failed Thursday, caus-  
ing a loss of \$46,000 to immigrants,  
was expected to give himself up to  
the police today.

## RUSS DEFEAT TURKS

Petrograd Reports Quiet Along the  
Western Front.

International News Service:  
PETROGRAD, Sept. 16.—The  
Russian war office today issued the  
following:  
"On the Caucasus front the Turks  
were repulsed to the westward of  
Kalkit. Turkish troops in the region  
of Sharmakhan and westward of  
Mush were driven out of their  
trenches and fled to Kozmagiaduk  
pass."

## YOUNGEST CONTRIBUTOR

Billy Denison, 18-months-old Sends  
\$1 For Fund.

International News Service:  
ATLANTA, Ga., Sept. 16.—Billy  
Denison, 18 months old, is prob-  
ably the youngest contributor to Wilson's  
campaign fund. Through his grand-  
father, Billy and seven other grand-  
children of Walter Denison, sent \$1  
each to a local paper to help re-  
elect the president.

NEW YORK.—Old King Brady,  
Nick Carter and older dime novel  
heroes are doomed. The high cost  
of paper will eliminate those pub-  
lications, the publishers say.

## LATEST IN THE NEWS WORLD

ASK STATEMENT.  
International News Service:  
WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—The  
demand through Ambassador Guthrie  
at Tokio for a complete state-  
ment of the intentions of Japan in  
her latest demands on China will be  
the only action relating to the far  
east situation taken by the United  
States at this time. It was learned  
in official circles here today.

AMBASSADOR ARRIVES.  
WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—Sec'y  
Phillip of the American embassy in  
Constantinople, today reported to  
the state department that Ambassa-  
dor Abram I. Elkus and his party  
arrived there on Sept. 11. All were  
well.

VIENNA, (via Berlin), Sept. 16.—  
The admiralty announced today  
that on Wednesday night Austro-  
Hungarian air squadrons bombarded  
Italian military objects at Grado  
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## ONLY SISTER OF PRESIDENT DIES

Body Will be Taken South For  
Burial—Suffered Long  
Illness.

International News Service:  
NEW LONDON, Sept. 16.—Mrs.  
Annie M. Howe, only sister of Pres't  
Woodrow Wilson, died early today  
after a long illness. She suffered a  
severe sinking spell at dawn and  
sank rapidly. Opiates were admin-  
istered to deaden the pain caused by  
peritonitis.

Mrs. Howe was unconscious most  
of the time as the end approached,  
but at intervals was able to recog-  
nize members of the family who  
had gathered about the bedside  
when it became certain that death  
was imminent. These included her  
brother, Joseph, her sons Wilson and  
George, her daughter and her niece,  
Miss Margaret Wilson, daughter of  
the president.

Pres't Wilson was immediately no-  
tified of the death of his sister, but  
it was expected that he would not  
come here. Mrs. Howe's body will  
be taken south for burial and it is  
probable that the president will join  
the funeral party en route.

Mrs. Howe was born at Hampden-  
Sydney College, Va., and was edu-  
cated in the Presbyterian hospital.  
She was married to the late Augustus  
county female seminary. Her early  
married life was spent at Columbia,  
S. C., but later the family resided  
at Raleigh, N. C.

## ROBBERS GET \$5,000

Blacksmith is Found in Home  
Bound Hand and Foot.

International News Service:  
CORYDON, Ind., Sept. 15.—  
George Baker, a blacksmith, living  
in a secluded place in Harrison  
county, was discovered in his home  
today bound hand and foot and in a  
serious condition, the victim of an  
attack by robbers who secured  
\$5,000 of his hoard on Wednesday  
night. Bloodhounds were put on  
the trail and this morning Allen and  
Charles Holyoke and John Rodgers  
were under arrest charged with the  
crime.

NINE KILLED.  
International News Service:  
COPENHAGEN, Sept. 16.—Nine  
men are believed to have been killed  
when the Danish steamer *Mohr*  
rig was torpedoed by a submarine.  
All the other members of the crew  
were saved, according to maritime  
reports.

## THIRTEEN KILLED.

International News Service:  
PITTSBURGH, Pa., Sept. 16.—  
From the ruins of the wrecked plant  
of the Aetna Chemical Co. at Oak-  
dale, destroyed last night by the ex-  
plosion of a "T-N-T" mixer, search-  
ers today took the mangled remains  
of 12 munitions workers out of the  
debris. Another died at the Alle-  
gheny general hospital as a result  
of his injuries, bringing the death  
roll up to 13.

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ticipating returned.

## FREE FOR ALL PAGE WILL BRING OUT A CLASSY FIELD TODAY

The Inter-State fair comes to a close today. As a fitting climax  
for the week one of the best racing cards on the program is sched-  
uled for this afternoon and a monster crowd was expected as the  
majority of factories in the city are closed down in order to give  
the workers an opportunity to attend the big exposition.

Although the atmosphere was a bit cool during the morning Old  
Sol gave promise of making prominent during the afternoon. The  
chilly breezes of Friday had disappeared although warm overcoats,  
sweaters and furs were in evidence, taking the edge off the Indi-  
ana summer weather.

There was a liberal crowd on the fair grounds this morning in-  
dicating the attendance mark of the  
afternoon. Officials expected at  
least 15,000 during the afternoon,  
although several expected to see this  
mark surpassed. Many out of town  
folks arrived in the city during the  
morning, attracted to the fair by the  
racing card which will be featured  
by some of the best horses on the  
grounds.

## PROSPERITY NOT CAUSED BY WAR

Henry Clay Trick Says Do-  
mestic Demand Makes  
Outlook Bright.

International News Service:  
PITTSBURGH, Pa., Sept. 16.—  
Business men of this city today gen-  
erally endorsed the views expressed  
by Henry Clay Trick, who declared  
in an interview here that prosperity  
would continue in this country. Mr.  
Trick asserted that the domestic  
demand for steel and other indus-  
trial products made the outlook for  
national prosperity very bright.  
He declared the claim made in cer-  
tain quarters that the war was re-  
sponsible for prosperity in the  
United States.

"The present excessive prosperity  
may be dependent to some extent  
upon the war," he said, "but I be-  
lieve that conditions will continue  
good. The financial, industrial and  
general situation is just splendid.  
We could not wish for better."

## FAMOUS CONFEDERATE GENERAL IS DEAD

Gen. Basil Duke of Louisville, Ky.,  
Was Morgan's Chief  
Aid.

International News Service:  
NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—Gen.  
Basil Duke of Louisville, Ky., one  
of the most famous Confederate  
cavalry leaders of the Civil war, died  
here today in the Presbyterian hos-  
pital. An injury suffered during the  
Civil war to his right foot was the  
cause. Gen. Duke never fully recov-  
ered from it and not long ago it be-  
came so troublesome that amputa-  
tion was necessary. He seemed to  
be recovering rapidly, but complica-  
tions set in.

Gen. Duke was Morgan's chief  
aide and after Morgan's death had  
command of his forces.

After the war Gen. Duke prac-  
ticed law in Louisville. Pres't Roose-  
velt wanted to appoint him to the  
federal bench, but he declined.  
Roosevelt then appointed him a  
commissioner of Shiloh battlefield.

Gets Big Laying Out.  
Marie Constant, winner of the  
stake race was presented with a  
huge silver loving cup by Abe  
Frank, chairman of the racing com-  
mittee, with the compliments of the  
Oliver hotel.

## STRAWBERRIES ON SALE

Supply at 25 Cents a Box is Soon  
Exhausted.

Strawberries selling at 25c a box  
were the feature of the city mar-  
ket Saturday morning. The few  
boxes that were for sale were quick-  
ly disposed of. Potatoes were sell-  
ing at \$1.50 a bushel as quoted last  
Thursday. Fall mushrooms brought  
5c a pound, while live old chickens  
sold at 18c. Spring chickens were  
22c.

One hundred and thirty-two  
wagons filled with products lined up  
along the curb on the Coffey ave-  
nue bridge early Saturday. The un-  
usual change in temperature rather  
than tending to turn people away,  
brought a large crowd eager to buy.